Informant in Plot Wanted in Georgia

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP)—An informant who told police of an alleged plot by a militant Negro group to assassinate top Philadelphia officials as well as President Johnson, is awaiting extradition to Georgia.

Director Asa Kelley Jr. of the department of corrections, said Friday that the informant, Robert Earl Bailey, 23, is an escapee from a Fulton County public works camp and Georgia has asked for his return.

Bailey, of Anniston, Ala., told police the Revolutionary Action Movement (RAM) had plans to assassinate Philadelphia's mayor, district attorney, police commissioner, President Johnson and FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover.

Philadelphia officials also said Bailey told them their city hall, the federal courthouse and police administration building were to be blown up in a plot allegedly hatched by RAM.

The militant group was charged Wednesday with planning to start a riot in Philadelphia, then poison thousands of policemen and top city officials.

Kelley said Bailey was convicted in Dougherty County, Ga., for burglary and convicted in Fulton County for forgery. He was sentenced in superior court of each county to three years on each count, the two sentences to run concurrently.

Bailey started serving time in Fulton public works camp March 23, 1966 and escaped Sept. 13, 1966, Kelley said.